

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MONTANA  
HELENA DIVISION

STEPHEN W. SEESE,

Plaintiff,

vs.

MONTANA STATE PRISON, JIM  
SALMONSEN, PAUL REES, and  
MELISSA SCHARF,

Defendants.

CV 22-72-H-SEH

ORDER

Defendants have moved to dismiss this case for failure to prosecute.<sup>1</sup>

The Court's February 13, 2023, scheduling order required the parties to file preliminary pretrial statements on or before April 14, 2023.<sup>2</sup> Seese failed to comply. An extension until April 28, 2023, was granted.<sup>3</sup> None was filed.<sup>4</sup>

**ORDERED:**

1. Defendants' Motion to Dismiss<sup>5</sup> is **GRANTED**.
2. Seese's case is **DISMISSED** for failure to prosecute.
3. The Clerk of Court is directed to enter judgment.<sup>6</sup>
4. The Court **CERTIFIES** that any appeal of this decision would not be

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<sup>1</sup> Doc. 25 at 1.

<sup>2</sup> Doc. 18.

<sup>3</sup> Doc. 23.


<sup>4</sup> Seese also failed to respond to Defendants' Motion to Dismiss (Doc. 25).

<sup>5</sup> Doc. 25.

<sup>6</sup> F. R. Civ. P. 58.

taken in good faith.

DATED this 2nd day of June, 2023.

  
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Sam E. Haddon  
United States District Court Judge